

## KIDNEY SUFFERERS HAVE FEELING OF SECURITY

You naturally feel secure when you know that the medicine you are about to take is absolutely pure and contains no harmful or habit producing drugs.

Such a medicine is Dr. Kilmer's Swamp-Root, kidney, liver and bladder remedy.

The same standard of purity, strength and excellence is maintained in every bottle of Swamp-Root.

Swamp-Root is scientifically compounded from vegetable herbs.

It is not a stimulant and is taken in teaspoonful doses.

It is not recommended for everything.

According to verified testimony it is nature's great helper in relieving and overcoming kidney, liver and bladder troubles.

A sworn statement of purity is with every bottle of Dr. Kilmer's Swamp-Root.

If you need a medicine, you should have the best.

If you are already convinced that Swamp-Root is what you need, you will find it on sale at all drug stores in bottles of two sizes, medium and large.

However, if you wish first to try this great preparation send ten cents to Dr. Kilmer & Co., Binghamton, N. Y., for a sample bottle. When writing be sure and mention this paper.—Adv.

### Cruel Treatment.

Yeast—The Germans in the internment camps in this country say we are treating them cruelly.

Crimsonbeak—How so?

"They claim we're taking all the 'kick' out of the beer we let 'em have."

## PAPE'S DIAPEPSIN FOR INDIGESTION

EAT ONE TABLET! NO GASES, ACIDITY, DYSPEPSIA OR ANY STOMACH MISERY.

Undigested food! Lumps of pain; belching gas, acids and sourness. When your stomach is all upset, here is instant relief—No waiting!



The moment you eat a tablet or two of Pape's Diapsin all the indigestion pain and dyspepsia distress stops.

Your disordered stomach will feel fine at once.

These pleasant, harmless tablets of Pape's Diapsin never fail and cost very little at drug stores. Adv.

### Her Title.

Bacon—I understand his wife has a position now?

Egbert—Yes. She's working at a ribbon counter in a department store.

"And does he call her his better half?"

"No; his counter-part."

### Important to Mothers.

Examine carefully every bottle of CASTORIA, that famous old remedy for infants and children, and see that it

Bears the Signature of *W. C. Little*

In Use for Over 30 Years.

Children Cry for Fletcher's Castoria

"What's in a name?" The old turkey gobbler will taste good no matter what he is called.

It is better to live in the foggy present than in the misty past.

## THE MAKING OF A FAMOUS MEDICINE

How Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound Is Prepared For Woman's Use.

A visit to the laboratory where this successful remedy is made impresses even the casual looker-on with the reliability, accuracy, skill and cleanliness which attends the making of this great medicine for woman's ills.

Over 350,000 pounds of various herbs are used annually and all have to be gathered at the season of the year when their natural juices and medicinal substances are at their best.

The most successful solvents are used to extract the medicinal properties from these herbs.

Every utensil and tank that comes in contact with the medicine is sterilized and as a final precaution in cleanliness the medicine is pasteurized and sealed in sterile bottles.

It is the wonderful combination of roots and herbs, together with the skill and care used in its preparation which has made this famous medicine so successful in the treatment of female ills.

The letters from women who have been restored to health by the use of Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound which we are continually publishing attest to its virtue.

Look—Tobacco As it comes from the farm; for chewing or smoking; 1 lb. box; 10¢. Also, in 5¢ boxes. Ask your dealer for BLACKMAN'S TOBACCO CO., Kansas, Mo.

W. N. U., KANSAS CITY, NO. 50-1918.

## GIRLS! LOTS OF BEAUTIFUL HAIR

A small bottle of "Danderine" makes hair thick, glossy and wavy.

Removes all dandruff, stops itching scalp and falling hair.



To be possessed of a head of heavy, beautiful hair; soft, lustrous, fluffy, wavy and free from dandruff is merely a matter of using a little Danderine.

It is easy and inexpensive to have nice, soft hair and lots of it. Just get a small bottle of Knowlton's Danderine now—it costs but a few cents—all drug stores recommend it—apply a little as directed and within ten minutes there will be an appearance of abundance, freshness, fluffiness and an incomparable gloss and lustre, and try as you will you cannot find a trace of dandruff or falling hair; but your real surprise will be after about two weeks' use, when you will see new hair—fine and downy at first—yes—but really new hair—sprouting out all over your scalp—Danderine is, we believe, the only sure hair grower, destroyer of dandruff and cure for itchy scalp, and it never fails to stop falling hair at once.

If you want to prove how pretty and soft your hair really is, moisten a cloth with a little Danderine and carefully draw it through your hair—taking one small strand at a time. Your hair will be soft, glossy and beautiful in just a few moments—a delightful surprise awaits everyone who tries this. Adv.

### HAD EXAMPLE BEFORE HIM

Lop-Eared Youth Could Not Doubt That Some People Could Speak Fast Without Stuttering.

A venerable citizen of the Straddle Ridge neighborhood entered a lunch-room in Polkville, dragging after him a gander-necked, lop-eared youth.

"What kind o' pie have ye got yere?" he asked of the brisk waitress.

"Peach, apple, mince, raisin, punks, apocrot, mince, raisin and cokernut-custard!" she answered with considerable rapidity.

"Put!—which?" returned the old fellow.

The young lady repeated the list with still greater speed.

"Please say that over ag'in, if you'd jest as liv'," requested the ancient man.

"Say, looker here!" demanded the waitress. "Can't you understand anything?"

"Oh, yes'm; I understand all right!" He turned to the lop-eared youth. "There now, Emmett!" he triumphantly said. "You see, it's jest as I told you; a person kin talk as fast as he pleases without stutterin', if he'll only take keer!"—Judge.

### Soothe Itching Skins

With Cuticura. Bathe with Cuticura Soap and hot water, dry and apply the Ointment. This usually affords relief and points to speedy healing. For free samples address, "Cuticura, Dept. X, Boston." At druggists and by mail, Soap 25, Ointment 25 and 50.—Adv.

### Keeping the Faith.

A man returning from Philadelphia tells of a ragged newsboy, who, after his papers were all sold, still stood near Independence hall lustily shouting the news of Germany's surrender. "I'm just a-doin' what the Liberty bell would do if it could," explained the little patriot.

Sometimes what is regarded as a pious life is merely a contemptible one.

To be trusted is often a greater compliment than to be loved.



## ANOTHER LEAF

By HELEN M. RICHARDSON

Within life's book another leaf is turned; Today we face a new and untried year, Its secrets and its purpose all unguessed. No hand may lift the veil that hides from us Success or failure, and no feet save ours May tread our pathway, do our several tasks. We step into the New Year's outstretched arms, And wonder if with all her luring charms Truer she'll prove than one we leave behind. What we have gained from wrestling with defeat, Mayhap will give us strength new foes to meet With greater courage. Come, then, storm and stress, Defeat and failure, or joy's magic spell, To each or all the new year holds in store We reach our hands in welcome, for we know Our truest blessings from our failures grow, And that our share of happiness will be What we acquire through self-mastery.

—Farm Journal.

## A NEW YEAR SERMON

By

REV. JAMES M. GRAY, D.D.

### "AND NOW, LORD, WHAT WAIT I FOR?"—Psalm 39:7.

Another twelvemonth has almost gone, and we are yet in the land of the living. If we give this serious consideration, we must regard it as remarkable. Some think death the strangest wonder of human history, but is not life stranger? When we reflect upon our frame, and the shocks of life it must endure, must we not exclaim with Young, "Strange that a harp of thousand strings Should keep in tune so long!"

Is it to be wondered at if, like David, we too should put the question, "What wait I for?" The mystery of being here is not profounder than the mystery of staying here. Let us ask God the question. The psalmist felt he could not trust his own conclusions, and so he said, "Lord, what wait I for?"

It may be you are waiting to be saved. God is not willing that any should perish, but that all should come to repentance and live.

"O Ephraim, how can I give thee up, how shall I leave thee, Judah?" Behold him weeping over the Holy City. "O Jerusalem, how often would I have gathered thy children together, as a hen gathereth her brood under her wings, and ye would not!" He is so pleading with some of you today. To go back no farther than the past year, has there been no sermon, no invitation or warning, no supplication or exhortation, that has appealed to your intelligence, or moved your emotions, pleading with you to accept Christ? Have you lost no friend or neighbor by death during that period? Have you had no escape from bodily peril or no illness to remind you of the uncertainty of life? Can you conscientiously say that in all these respects God has left you alone? Has he done not a thing to startle you out of your false security, to convince you of sin, to invite you to the Savior? I repeat, has God left you absolutely alone? Ah! you cannot say that he has.

"How long halt ye between two opinions?" God pushes for a decision, and an immediate reply. "Today, if ye will hear his voice, harden not your hearts." It may be you are waiting to bear fruit. You are, by the grace of God, already saved, let us suppose. But for what purpose were you saved? Since God loves you with a "love that passeth knowledge," and since to depart and be with Christ were far better than to remain here—why did he not call you to himself at your conversion? Why are you here instead of enjoying your Redeemer's presence? There must be some reason. "Ye have not

chosen me," said Christ, "but I have chosen you, and ordained you, that ye should go and bring forth fruit, and that your fruit should remain." May it be to give you another opportunity to glorify his father by bearing fruit, that you are still here?

It may be you are waiting to be perfected. I ought to explain this, because there is a sense in which every true Christian is perfected the moment he accepts Christ as his Savior. He is perfected in that he is both justified and sanctified; his sin is put away, and by the Holy Spirit he himself is set apart for God forever. The New Testament is very clear on this; notice Paul's words in his epistle to the Colossians, for example.

What, then, do we mean by saying we may be waiting to be perfected? Do we mean the attainment of a state of sinlessness this side of heaven? No; for if a Christian lived to be as old as Methuselah, would he not still require to pray, "Forgive us our trespasses as we forgive those who trespass against us?" We only mean that perfectness, in the sense of a ripeness for the sickle, which comes in the lives of some as if a crown of glory had been vouchsafed to them even before they passed into the unseen.

And so may it be with some of you. Though now your pruning, your digging, and perhaps your growing days are over, yet the quiet but potent rays of divine grace are accomplishing a maturity in your experience, so that your Christian life never will have been so attractive as in the hour that you depart hence. "We all do fade as a leaf, but the fall of you, ye glory-crowned ones, is to be illumined by the grandeur of an autumnal sunset."

God bless you, aged brethren! God bless you, young and old, rich and poor, saint and sinner! May you have a "Happy New Year" in the highest and truest sense. "Happy is the people whose God is the Lord." Accept him, serve him, wait for him. It is only as we stand in such relationship to him that, after employing the psalmist's question, "And now, Lord, what wait I for?" we can confidently apply the consolation in his words that follow, "My hope is in thee."

### A NEW YEAR BUDGET.

The thousand cheery words I never spoke—The kindly deeds I always meant to do—The letters planned—(alas! but never penned)—I send them now—my New Year gift to you!

Oh, very heavy is the pack, my dear! Yet courage comes to me this blessed day; So please accept one whole delinquent year Of loving things my heart would do and say!

—Laura Simmons.

### Advice to a Bondholder.

"I'm glad to see you have bought Liberty bonds, my son."

"It was my patriotic duty to buy them, father."

"Quite so. But just because you happen to hold a few government securities, don't get the idea that you have to keep in touch with Wall Street."—Birmingham Age-Herald.

# WRIGLEY'S

## All Now in Pink Wrappers

To save tin foil for Uncle Sam, WRIGLEY'S is now all wrapped in pink paper and hermetically sealed in wax:

1. The tangy flavor of mint
2. The luscious different flavor
3. The soothing flavor of peppermint



All in pink-end packages and all sealed air-tight. Be Sure to get WRIGLEY'S because

The Flavor Lasts!



## Puts a ... Stop to all Distemper

CURES THE SICK

And prevents others having the disease no matter how exposed. Consumers may order direct from the manufacturer. Send remittance with your order, 40 cents and \$1.15 a bottle; \$5.50 and \$11.00 the dozen, delivered.

SPORN MEDICAL CO., Mfrs., Goshen, Ind., U. S. A.

Not Many. Who remembers the old days when kids were satisfied with a penny?

## LOOK AT CHILD'S TONGUE IF SICK, CROSS, FEVERISH

HURRY, MOTHER! REMOVE POISONS FROM LITTLE STOMACH, LIVER, BOWELS.

GIVE CALIFORNIA SYRUP OF FIGS AT ONCE IF BILIOUS OR CONSTIPATED.



Look at the tongue, mother! If coated, it is a sure sign that your little one's stomach, liver and bowels need a gentle, thorough cleansing at once.

When peevish, cross, listless, pale, doesn't sleep, doesn't eat or act naturally, or is feverish, stomach sour, breath bad; has stomach-ache, sore throat, diarrhea, full of cold, give a teaspoonful of "California Syrup of Figs" and in a few hours all the foul, constipated waste, undigested food and sour bile gently moves out of the little bowels without griping, and you have a well, playful child again.

You needn't coax sick children to take this harmless "fruit laxative;" they love its delicious taste, and it always makes them feel splendid.

Ask your druggist for a bottle of "California Syrup of Figs," which has directions for babies, children of all ages and for grown-ups plainly on the bottle. Beware of counterfeits sold here. To be sure you get the genuine, ask to see that it is made by the "California Fig Syrup Company." Refuse any other kind with contempt.—Adv.

A girl never graduates until she has learned to stah a pickle with a hat pin.

When Your Eyes Need Care Try **Martine Eye Remedy**—Just One Drop—It Does It!—No Pain—No Danger—No Cost—Write for Free Eye Book—MARTINE EYE REMEDY CO., CHICAGO

Unexpected. Clerk—"My salary is not what it should be." Employer—"But could you live on what it should be?"

How's This? We offer \$100.00 for any case of catarrh that cannot be cured by HALL'S CATARRH MEDICINE. HALL'S CATARRH MEDICINE is taken internally and acts through the blood on the mucous surfaces of the system. Sold by druggists for over forty years. Price 50c. Testimonials free. F. J. Cheney & Co., Toledo, Ohio.

Otherwise Peaceful. "Was it a military dinner?" "Just a suggestion of the military. We shelled the nuts."

Cure pimples, headache, bad breath by taking May Apple, Aloe, Jalap rolled into a tiny mass pill called Doctor Pierce's Pleasant Pellets. Adv.

No, Edna, Solomon when arrayed in all his glory didn't have a pair of plaid silk stockings on his feet.

Plenty of exercise, fresh air, regular hours—is all the prescription you need to avoid influenza—unless through neglect or otherwise, a cold gets you. Then take—at once

## CASCARA QUININE

Standard cold remedy for 20 years—in tablet form—safe, sure, no opiates—breaks up a cold in 24 hours—relieves grip in 3 days. Money back if fails. The genuine box has a Red Top with Mrs. Hill's picture. At All Drug Stores.

## Cuticura Heals Itching Burning Skin Troubles

All druggists, Ross & Co., Cincinnati 10 and 11, Madison St. Sample each free of "Cuticura, Dept. X, Boston."

### Every Woman Wants

## Paxtine ANTISEPTIC POWDER

FOR PERSONAL HYGIENE. Dissolved in water for douches, vaginal washings, ulcerations and inflammation. Recommended by Lydia E. Pinkham Med. Co. for use after a healing wonder for nasal catarrh, sore throat and sore eyes. Economical. The antiseptic, cleansing and germicidal power. For directions, send for free booklet. Write to: H. C. Conner, 1111 Broadway, New York City.

PARKER'S HAIR BALM. A toilet preparation of merit. It cures itching humors, keeps the hair from falling out, and restores the hair to its natural color. Sold by all druggists.

### BLACKMAN'S MEDICATED SALT BRICK

**STOCK  
LICK IT**

**STOCK  
LIKE IT**

CONTAINS COPPER FOR WORKING, SULPHUR FOR THE BLOOD, SALT PETER FOR THE KIDNEYS, AND VITAMIN A FOR THE SKIN. USED BY VETERINARIANS 12 YEARS. NO DRUGS. ASK YOUR DEALER FOR BLACKMAN'S OR WRITE.

**BLACKMAN STOCK REMEDY COMPANY Chattanooga, Tenn.**